What We've Accomplished Together



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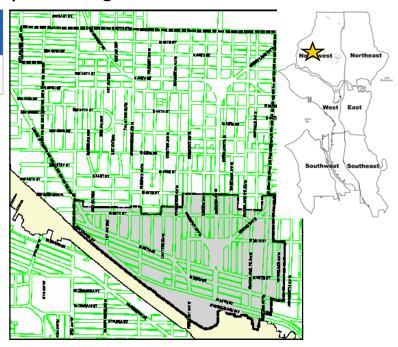
Neighborhood:

Fremont Hub Urban Village

Plan Adopted: 1999

Key Elements:

- 1. Traffic Study Improvements
- 2. Open Space Development
- 3. Affordable Housing Development



Fremont Neighborhood Plan Area Northwest Sector

What happened in 2002

- Downtown Fremont Circulation and Parking Plan The Fremont Transportation and Parking Plan was completed in spring 2002. The key elements of the plan include new traffic lights and traffic calming devices on 36th Street; changing portions of Evanston into a two-way street; and revising parking along sections of 34th Street. The Seattle Transportation Department prepared a conceptual design for the intersection of Evanston and 36th.
- Fremont Neighborhood Park A vacant lot next to the Fremont Library was purchased for a park in 1998. The design and development of the site is being funded by the Pro Parks Levy. The proposed park is oriented to the south with good sun exposure and is well suited to developing pedestrian connections between the library, commercial core, and nearby single and multi-family properties.
- Fremont Library The Fremont community was very pleased that the renovation of the branch library will be coordinated with the development of the Fremont Neighborhood Park next door. Hoshide Williams Architects were selected to design the project.
- Fremont Peak Park The purchase of property at 4351 Palatine Ave. North for Fremont Peak Park was completed in August. The park will have unobstructed views of Mt. Rainier, the Ship Canal, and the Olympic Mountains. The Friends of Fremont Peak Park received a Neighborhood Matching Fund grant for design. For more information, see http://www.seattle.gov/parks/proparks/projects/fremontpeakpark.htm
- **Preserving the Red Door** Construction began on the large apartment complex development on the former "Red Door" site.

What's Upcoming In 2003

- Fremont Neighborhood Park Design is complete for this neighborhood plan priority, and construction will take place throughout the summer months. More information is available at: http://www.seattle.gov/parks/proparks/projects/fremontparkdevelopment.htm
- Fremont Library The library has coordinated with the Fremont Neighborhood Park project, designing its lower level to complement the new park and working together to create a pathway down the slope. Design will continue through much of 2003; construction of the \$566,000 renovation is scheduled for 2004. For a more detailed summary of the library's renovation schedule and elements, visit the website at: http://www.spl.org/pressreleases/LFApr/frearchmtg020917.html
- **Downtown Fremont Circulation and Parking Plan** Seattle Department of Transportation is now investigating funding some other aspects of the plan through the Fremont Bridge Approach Replacement Project, scheduled for construction in 2005. Seattle Transportation has held two community meetings to gather public input on this project.
- Preserving the Red Door Construction of this large apartment complex was completed in late spring 2003 on the site of the former Red Door Pub. It includes traditional apartments, as well as Live-Work spaces. The Red Door Pub, a neighborhood establishment, was carefully moved one block away.

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In the Neighborhood

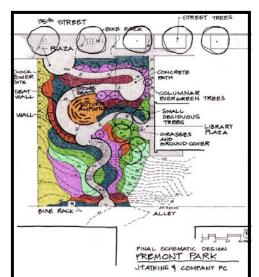
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Fremont Park Design